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In re Application of:

Sievers et al.

Serial No. : 09/787,824 688

Group Art Unit: ----

Filed : March 22, 2001

Examiner: -----

For: **SURFACE-TREATED MINERAL MATERIALS & METHOD FOR
PRODUCING**

New York, NY 10036
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Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

The following statement of relevance is submitted with the accompanying
Form PTO/SB/08A.

Document
Designation

Relevance

AA
U.S.P. 3,819,400

Relates to a surface protection of porous materials.

AB
U.S.P. 6,167,879

Relates to a process for producing non-slip floor
covering.

AC
WO 97/48536

Relates to a grout or mortar removal by laser.

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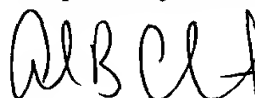
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<u>Document Designation</u>	<u>Relevance</u>
AD WO 98/46405	Relates to a method for producing nonslip floor coverings.
AE WO 99/27011	Relates to an inorganic particles treated with phosphonatosiloxane.
AF CA 2,221,497	Relates to a non-slip floor covering and process for producing it.
AG CA 2,225,193	Relates to a process for the preparation of silicone polymer/solid premixes having a high filler content.

It is respectfully requested that this art be considered by the Examiner in the above-entitled application and made of record therein. If an additional fee is due the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 08-1540.

Respectfully submitted,



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